

GENETIC COUNSELORS LICENSING BOARD
Bureau of Occupational Licenses
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Conference Call Minutes of 10/30/2017

BOARD MEMBERS PRESENT: Heather Hussey-Johnson - Chair
Jennifer Nicole Eichmeyer
Jack Zarybnisky, O.D.

BOARD MEMBERS ABSENT: Thomas M Beck, M.D.

BUREAU STAFF: Dawn Hall, Deputy Bureau Chief
Joan Callahan, Legal Counsel
Betsy Duncan, Technical Records Specialist I

The meeting was called to order at 2:01 PM MDT by Heather Hussey-Johnson.

APPROVAL OF MINUTES

Ms. Eichmeyer made a motion to approve the minutes of September 8, 2017. It was seconded by Ms. Hussey-Johnson. Motion carried.

NEW BOARD MEMBER INTRODUCTION

New Board member, Dr. Zarybnisky, was introduced. The Board directed Bureau staff to provide Dr. Zarybnisky contact information for Ms. Hussey-Johnson and Ms. Eichmeyer to provide information which may be needed to help him become familiar with Board processes and the occupation.

EXECUTIVE ORDER

Ms. Hussey-Johnson updated the Board on the Executive Order meeting on 10/12/2017 with Lieutenant Governor Little. She stated that Lieutenant Governor Little gave an overview of the Executive Order and explained that the purpose of the review is to ensure the lightest possible hand of government while still preserving the public trust.

NEW BUSINESS

NEXT MEETING will be scheduled as needed.

CORRESPONDENCE

The Board reviewed an inquiry from Ivana Grbelja asking whether ordering genetic testing falls under the scope of practice for Idaho genetic counselors. Ms. Eichmeyer made a motion directing Bureau staff to respond that ordering genetic testing is included in the scope of practice for Idaho genetic counselors and reference Idaho Code 54-5603. It was seconded by Dr. Zarybnisky. Motion carried.

APPLICATIONS

Ms. Eichmeyer made a motion to approve the following for licensure pending receipt of information and review by the Board Chair:

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It was seconded by Dr. Zarybnisky. Motion carried.

Ms. Eichmeyer made a motion to approve the following for Licensure:

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It was seconded by Dr. Zarybnisky. Motion carried.

ADJOURNMENT

Ms. Eichmeyer made a motion to adjourn the meeting at 2:18 PM. It was seconded by Dr. Zarybnisky. Motion carried.

Heather Hussey-Johnson, Chair

Jennifer Nicole Eichmeyer

Thomas M Beck, M.D.

Jack Zarybnisky, O.D.

Tana Cory, Bureau Chief